GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6187
ANSWERED ON:05.05.2003
PENDING CHECK-DAMS PROJECTS
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have received any representations/proposals/projects from tribals in Andhra Pradesh for seeking clearance for check-dams in their area;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of such projects cleared and pending clearance as on date;

(d) the reasons for not clearing the pending projects; and

(e) by when the same are likely to be cleared/approved ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI DILIP SINGH JU DEV)

(a) & (b) Yes, Sir. A representation from tribals of Sunnalagnadi, Vinjiram Panchayat, West Godavari District for construction of a check dam has been received. However, proposal for diversion of forest land in the prescribed format as per Section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act 1980 from the State Government of Andhra Pradesh has not been submitted.

(c),(d)&(e) Does not arise.